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SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT FORD TO PRESIDENT

----- COSTA GOMES ON JULY 4 GREETINGS

1. PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT
COSTA GOMES: QUOTE DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: ON BEHALF OF THE
AMERICAN PEOPLE, I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE
OF CONGRATULATIONS ON THE OCCASION OF OUR ANNIVERSARY
OF INDEPENDENCE. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD UNQUOTE

2. BEGIN FYI: COSTA GOMES' MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT FORD
REPEATED BELOW:

QUOTE ON THE OCCASION OF UNITED STATES NATIONAL DAY I CON-
VEY TO YOUR EXCELLENCY MY WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST
WISHES FOR YOUR PERSONAL HAPPINESS AND THE PROSPERITY
OF YOUR COUNTRY. FRANCISCO DA COSTA GOMES, PRESIDENT
OF THE REPUBLIC OF PORTUGAL. UNQUOTE

3. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT BUT HAS NO
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